THE HON'BLE Ms. JUSTICE G. ROHINI

WRIT PETITION No.5818 OF 2006

27th March, 2006.

Between:

B. Venkata Krishna Mohan. .. Petitioner.

And

The Commissioner of Prohibition &

Excise, Hyderabad and two others. .. Respondents.

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ORAL ORDER:

Petitioner is granted a licence under the provisions of the A.P. Excise (Lease of Right of Selling by Shop and Conditions of Licence) Rules, 2005, to sell Indian Liquor and Foreign Liquor in the premises bearing No.2-1-59, situated in 5th Ward, Kakinada Municipal Corporation for the year 2005-06. It is stated that subsequently, petitioner made an application for shifting the licensed premises to a different premises in the same Ward. In pursuance thereof, the 3rd respondent called for a report from the concerned Station House Officer by proceedings dated 30.09.2005. The petitioner states that though a report has already been received, respondents failed to pass any orders on the application made by him for shifting the licensed premises. Hence, this Writ Petition.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner, the learned Government Pleader for Excise, appearing for the respondents, and having regard to the fact that the application made by the petitioner for shifting the licensed premises is still pending, I deem it appropriate to direct the respondents to pass appropriate orders, on the application made by the petitioner for shifting the licensed premises, in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

The Writ Petition is accordingly disposed of. No costs.

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(G. ROHINI, J.)

27th March, 2006.

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